

POTENTIAL INVASIVE EXOTIC PLANT SPECIES

Grand Canyon National Park

Compiled from Noxious Weed Lists from Surrounding States

On Noxious Weed List

COMMON NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME	FAMILY NAME	AZ	CO	NV	UT	Document ed in GCNP
African rue	<i>Peganum harmala</i>	Zygophyllaceae	X	X	X		
Alligator weed	<i>Alternanthera philoxeroides</i>	Amaranthaceae	X	X			
Anchored water hyacinth	<i>Eichhornia azurea</i>	Hydrophyllaceae	X				
Australian peaweed	<i>Sphaerophysa salsula</i>	Fabaceae			X		
Austrian fieldcress	<i>Rorippa austriaca</i>	Brassicaceae	X		X		
Bermuda grass	<i>Cynodon dactylon</i>	Poaceae	X			X	X
Bindweed	<i>Convolvulus arvensis</i>	Convolvulaceae	X	X		X	X
Black knapweed	<i>Centaurea nigra</i>	Asteraceae					
Black nightshade	<i>Solanum nigrum</i>	Solanaceae		X			
Bouncingbet	<i>Saponaria officinalis</i>	Caryophyllaceae		X			
Branched broomrape	<i>Orobanche ramosa</i>	Orobanchaceae	X				
Buffalo bur	<i>Solanum rostratum</i>	Solanaceae			X		
Bull thistle	<i>Cirsium vulgare</i>	Asteraceae		X			X
Burclover	<i>Medicago polymorpha</i>	Fabaceae	X				
Burdock	<i>Arctium minus</i>	Asteraceae		X			
Camelthorn	<i>Alhagi maurorum</i>	Fabaceae	X		X		X
Canada thistle	<i>Cirsium arvense</i>	Asteraceae	X	X	X	X	X
Carolina horsenettle	<i>Solanum carolinense</i>	Solanaceae	X		X		
Chicory	<i>Cichorium intybus</i>	Asteraceae		X			X
Chinese clematis	<i>Clematis orientalis</i>	Ranunculaceae		X			
Coast tarweed	<i>Madia sativa</i>	Asteraceae		X			
Common groundsel	<i>Senecio vulgaris</i>	Asteraceae		X			
Common mullein	<i>Verbascum thapsus</i>	Scrophulariaceae		X			X
Common purslane	<i>Portulaca oleracea</i>	Portulacaceae	X				
Common tansy	<i>Tanacetum vulgare</i>	Asteraceae		X			
Common teasel	<i>Dipsacus fullonum</i>	Diosoreaceae		X			
Creeping wartcress, greater swinecress	<i>Coronopus squamatus</i>	Brassicaceae	X				
Cypress spurge	<i>Euphorbia cyparissias</i>	Euphorbiaceae		X			
Dalmatian toadflax	<i>Linaria dalmatica</i>	Scrophulariaceae	X	X	X		X
Dame's rocket	<i>Hesperis matronalis</i>	Brassicaceae		X			
Diffuse knapweed	<i>Centaurea diffusa</i>	Asteraceae	X	X	X	X	X
Dodder	<i>Cuscuta</i> sp.	Convolvulaceae	X				
Dudaim melon, Queen Anne's melon	<i>Cucumis melo</i>	Cucurbitaceae	X				
Dyers woad	<i>Isatis tinctoria</i>	Brassicaceae	X	X	X	X	
Flixweed	<i>Descaurania sophia</i>	Brassicaceae		X			X
Floating water hyacinth	<i>Eichhornia crassipes</i>	Hydrophyllaceae	X				
Goatsrue	<i>Galega officinalis</i>	Fabaceae			X		
Green foxtail	<i>Setaria viridis</i>	Poaceae		X			X
Hairy whitetop	<i>Cardaria pubescens</i>	Brassicaceae	X		X	X	
Halogeton	<i>Halogeton glomeratus</i>	Chenopodiaceae	X	X			
Henbane	<i>Hyoscyamus niger</i>	Solanaceae		X			
Houndstongue	<i>Cynoglossum officinale</i>	Boraginaceae		X			X

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Iberian starthistle	<i>Centaurea iberica</i>	Asteraceae	X		X		
Johnsongrass	<i>Sorghum halepense</i>	Poaceae		X	X	X	X
Jointed goatgrass	<i>Aegilops cylindrica</i>	Poaceae	X	X			X
Kikuyu grass	<i>Pennisetum clandestinum</i>	Poaceae					
Kochia	<i>Kochia scoparia</i>	Chenopodiaceae		X			X
Leafy spurge	<i>Euphorbia esula</i>	Euphorbiaceae	X	X	X	X	
Lens podded hoary cress	<i>Cardaria chalepensis</i>	Brassicaceae	X				
Licorice	<i>Glycyrrhiza lepidota</i>	Fabaceae			X		
Lightningweed, sandwort drymary	<i>Drymaria arenarioides</i>	Caryophyllaceae	X				
Mediterranean	<i>Salvia aethiopis</i>	Lamiaceae		X	X		X
Medusahead	<i>Taeniatherum caput-medusae</i>	Poaceae				X	
Musk thistle	<i>Carduus nutans</i>	Asteraceae		X		X	
Myrtle spurge	<i>Euphorbia myrsinites</i>	Euphorbiaceae		X			
Oxeye daisy	<i>Leucanthemum vulgare</i>	Asteraceae		X			X
Perennial sowthistle	<i>Sonchus arvensis</i>	Asteraceae	X		X		X
Plumeless thistle	<i>Carduus acanthoides</i>	Asteraceae	X	X			
Poison hemlock	<i>Conium maculatum</i>	Apiaceae		X	X		X
Punagrass	<i>Achnatherum brachychaetum</i>	Poaceae	X				
Puncturevine	<i>Tribulus terrestris</i>	Zygophyllaceae	X	X	X		X
Purple loosestrife	<i>Lythrum salicaria</i>	Lythraceae	X	X			
Purple mustard	<i>Chorispora tenella</i>	Brassicaceae		X			X
Purple starthistle	<i>Centaurea calcitrapa</i>	Asteraceae	X		X		
Quackgrass	<i>Elytrigia repens var. repens</i>	Poaceae	X	X			X
Redstem filaree	<i>Erodium cicutarium</i>	Geraniaceae		X			X
Rush skeletonweed	<i>Chondrilla juncea</i>	Asteraceae	X	X			X
Russian knapweed	<i>Acroptilon repens</i>	Asteraceae	X		X	X	X
Russian thistle	<i>Salsola tragus</i>	Chenopodiaceae		X			X
Sandburs	<i>Cenchrus sp.</i>	Asteraceae	X	X			X
Scentless chamomile	<i>Anthemis arvensis</i>	Asteraceae		X			
Scotch thistle	<i>Onopordum acanthium</i>	Asteraceae	X	X	X	X	X
Serrated tussock	<i>Nassella trichotoma</i>	Poaceae	X				
Silverleaf nightshade	<i>Solanum elaeagnifolium</i>	Solanaceae			X		X
sorghum alnum	<i>Sorghum alnum</i>	Poaceae	X			X	
Spotted knapweed	<i>Centaurea biebersteinii</i>	Asteraceae	X	X	X	X	X
Squarrose knapweed	<i>Centaurea triumfettii</i>	Asteraceae	X	X			
St. Johnswort	<i>Hypericum perforatum</i>	Clusiaceae		X	X		
Sulfur cinquefoil	<i>Potentilla recta</i>	Rosaceae		X			
Sulphur knapweed	<i>Centaurea sulphurea</i>	Asteraceae	X				
Sweet resinbush	<i>Euryops subcarnosus</i>	Asteraceae	X				
tamarisk	<i>Tamarix ramosissima</i>	Tamaricaceae		X			X
Tansy ragwort	<i>Senecio jacobaea</i>	Asteraceae	X				
Texas blueweed	<i>Heliathus ciliaris</i>	Asteraceae	X				
Three-lobed morning glory	<i>Ipomoea triloba</i>	Convolvulaceae	X				
Torpedo grass	<i>Panicum repens</i>	Poaceae	X				
Tree of heaven	<i>Ailanthus altissima</i>	Simarubaceae					X
Tropical soda apple	<i>Solanum viarum</i>	Solanaceae					

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Velvetleaf	<i>Abutilon theophrasti</i>	Malvaceae		X			
Water hemlock	<i>Cicuta</i> spp.	Apiaceae			X		
Water-chestnut	<i>Trapa natans</i>	Trapaceae	X				
Waterthyme	<i>Hydrilla verticillata</i>	Hydrocharitaceae	X				
Whitetop	<i>Cardaria draba</i>	Brassicaceae		X			X
Whitetop	<i>Lepidium latifolium</i>	Brassicaceae		X	X	X	X
wild caraway	<i>Carum carvi</i>	Apiaceae		X			
Wild mustard	<i>Sinapis arvensis</i>	Brassicaceae					
Wild proso millet	<i>Panicum miliaceum</i>	Poaceae		X			
Witchweed	<i>Striga</i> spp.	Scrophulariaceae	X				
Yellow bristle grass	<i>Setaria pumila</i>	Poaceae		X			X
Yellow nutsedge	<i>Cyperus esculentus</i>	Cyperaceae		X			
Yellow starthistle	<i>Centaurea solstitialis</i>	Asteraceae	X	X	X	X	
Yellow toadflax	<i>Linaria vulgaris</i>	Scrophulariaceae		X			